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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

Mrs. McCaskill introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on

A BILL

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.
- 4 This Act may be cited as the "Cap Executive Officer
- 5 Pay Act of 2009".
- 6 SEC. 2. LIMIT ON EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION.
- 7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding any other provi-
- 8 sion of law or agreement to the contrary, no person who
- 9 is an officer, director, executive, or other employee of a
- 10 financial institution or other entity that receives or has

- 1 received funds under the Troubled Asset Relief Program
- 2 (or "TARP"), established under section 101 of the Emer-
- 3 gency Ecomonic Stabilization Act of 2008, may receive an-
- 4 nual compensation in excess of the amount of compensa-
- 5 tion paid to the President of the United States.
- 6 (b) DURATION.—The limitation in subsection (a)
- 7 shall be a condition of the receipt of assistance under the
- 8 TARP, and of any modification to such assistance that
- 9 was received on or before the date of enactment of this
- 10 Act, and shall remain in effect with respect to each finan-
- 11 cial institution or other entity that receives such assistance
- 12 or modification for the duration of the assistance or obli-
- 13 gation provided under the TARP.

14 SEC. 3. RULEMAKING AUTHORITY.

- 15 The Secretary shall expeditiously issue such rules as
- 16 are necessary to carry out this Act, including with respect
- 17 to reimbursement of compensation amounts, as appro-
- 18 priate.

19 SEC. 4. COMPENSATION.

- As used in this Act, the term "compensation" in-
- 21 cludes wages, salary, deferred compensation, retirement
- 22 contributions, options, bonuses, property, and any other
- 23 form of compensation or bonus that the Secretary of the
- 24 Treasury determines is appropriate.